



Board of Health

June 15, 2009 – 6:30 P.M. – **Agenda**
1213 Purchase Street, New Bedford

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CALL TO ORDER

1. Motion to accept and place on file the corrected minutes of the Regular Meeting held April 13, 2009.
2. Motion to accept and place on file the minutes of the Regular Meeting held May 11, 2009.

APPEARANCES/ACTIONS

3. Board of Health review and vote to approve the Recreational Camp Medical Policies/ Standing Orders with Addendum addressing concerns regarding management of anaphylactic shock emergencies, staff communications, smoke free grounds and premises, and policies and plans to address infectious disease outbreaks such as H1N1 Influenza with guidance from MDPH for Recreational Summer Camp Programs; and review of Inspectional Reports for:
 - a. The Little People's College
 - b. YMCA Southcoast /Frederick Douglas Summer Day CampMary Friere, Sanitarian
4. 283 Rivet Street
Request for Hearing
Re: Minimum Housing Violation Order# 26219
George Hodge, Trustee
Gordy Realty Trust
700 Kempton St., New Bedford
Donald DePina, Tenant
Renee A. Stevens, Inspector
5. 321 Union Street
Request for Hearing
Re: Minimum Housing Violation Order# 26237
Steve Economos, Trustee
BMW Realty Trust
1 Goulart Memorial Dr., Fairhaven
Renee A. Stevens, Inspector
6. Expo's II, 309 Dartmouth Street
Implementation Tobacco Sales Permit 7-Day Suspension Order
Patrick Walsh, Assistant Solicitor
Nicholas Charest, TCP Director
7. Introduction and appointment of Sara Olson, 4th year student enrolled at Harvard School of Public Health, intern assignee to New Bedford Health Department under the Massachusetts Department of Public Health Summer Internship Program.
Sara Olson, MPH candidate

OLD BUSINESS

8. New Bedford Public Schools Wellness Policy; incorporation of Board of Health Resolution for a Healthy Community provisions and state law citations to foster adoption of a comprehensive School

Wellness Policy and the development of a Resource Manual / Tool Kit to assist administrators in policy implementation.

Denise Gaudette, Director of CAAP
Sara Olson, MPH candidate/project intern

OTHER

9. Miscellaneous Updates –

- a. H1N1 outreach, education and on-going surveillance activities;
- b. Mayor authorizes Incident Command Training/National Incident Management System Training for city employees to improve city's capacity to respond to all hazard emergencies including natural and man-made disasters;
- c. Collaboration with New Bedford Public Schools to conduct targeted school-based Influenza vaccination clinics during the Fall season;
- d. Beach testing contract activity;
- e. Mass in Motion Planning grant awarded to Health Department May 15, 2009 effective June 15, 2009;
- f. Federally funded SRTA Bus media campaign to reduce underage drinking; plans for additional community outreach in collaboration with large retail food stores, New Bedford Board of Health, Substance Abuse Task Force members, Mayor Scott Lang, MDPH Commissioner John Auerbach, District Attorney Sam Sutter, New Bedford School Administrators, City Councillors, State Legislators, Students Against Dangerous Decisions (SADD), Mothers Against Drunk Driving, Greater New Bedford Regional Vocational Technical High School Legal and Protective Services faculty and students, Ron O'Connor, MDPH Southeast Regional Health Office, Greater New Bedford CHNA and other city department and community representatives in New Bedford to implement environmental strategies in the marketplace which promote a take home message that fosters environmental sustainability that is culturally and linguistically appropriate with potential for long-term message staying power.
- g. City Council Budget hearing and the elimination of the stipend for the Physician/Pediatric Clinician due to budget state budget cuts.
- h. Meeting with MDPH Bureau of Environmental Health, Environmental Steward, and Office of Economic Development and Harbor Development Corporation, and Mayor Lang.

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